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TELEGRAPHIC.

Winnipeg, Dec. 29, '98.
United States Senator Morrill is dead.
Lord Strathcona will sail for London on Monday.

Several Winnipeg boys are under arrest for stealing.
Several deaths by freezing are reported from the Yukon.

Airline, Switzerland, was badly damaged by an avalanche.

Leway is now senior admiral of the United States navy.

Indians on the Blackfoot reserves are killing ranch cattle.

The disarmament congress will be held in St. Petersburg in May.

James Coumbe is spoken of as a member of the Ontario cabinet.

J. P. Cadenhead, D. L. S., was frozen to death near Dawson City.

Mgr. McEvoy, of Hamilton, is appointed domestic prelate to Rome.

A bank at Lima, Ohio, was robbed of \$20,000 in gold and notes.

A reign of terror exists in Havana. Many murders are being committed.

The Doukhobors are expected to reach Halifax about January 10th.

Gaite, M. P., for Beauport, has sent his resignation to the speaker.

Sealers are steadily coming into the Dauphin and Swan lake district.

The Andree search expedition has returned from Siberia unsuccessful.

Vancouver is agitating for the establishment of a government assay office.

The first mail from Dawson City over the winter trails has reached Seattle.

A mother and three children were drowned at Alexandria Bay, N. Y.

W. R. Robertson, opposition, was elected in Cowichan, B. C., by 54 majority.

All the Chicago aldermen have been summoned to appear before the grand jury.

The worst storm in years is prevailing on the Pacific coast. Several lives are lost.

Letters have been found in Paris disclosing a military plot against the government.

United States troops have been dispatched from Manila to quell disturbances at Iloilo.

Loughrin, liberal, is elected to the Ontario legislature for Nipissing by over 600.

Stock shipments from Medicine Hat during 1898 increased 80 per cent. over last year.

The election protest in West Elgin was dismissed, Brown, conservative, retaining his seat.

Eighty thousand Catholic and German Bohemians have joined the Protestant church.

In North Hastings local bye-election Allan, conservative, was elected by a large majority.

Lord Strathcona presented St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Montreal, with a new organ.

United States newspaper publishers ask that free paper and paper pulp be placed on the free list.

A denunciation of the civil service asked Sir Wilfrid Laurier to grant the statutory increase of salary.

Baron Logan, president of the Bonapartist party, declares that the hour of combat has arrived.

A company with one million dollars capital proposes to supply Chicago with compressed air motors.

A proclamation is published requiring all travellers to the Yukon to carry with them ample food and money.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier writes a letter to Senator Dandurand expressing his confidence and esteem for Tarte.

A treaty between Canada and the United States will be arranged when the international Commission meets on January 5th.

LOCAL.

Public school holidays last week.

Rain on Monday night and thawing all Tuesday.

The thaw of Tuesday has made splendid skating on the river.

Oats at Spokane stand at \$1.10 per cwt. farm produce as before.

Rain at Christmas time was hitherto unheard of at Edmonton.

T. W. LINES returned from a business trip to Manitoba last week.

MIDNIGHT service in all Saints church on Saturday, New Year's Eve at 11:15.

D. C. ROBERTSON shipped a car of cattle to A. E. Cross, Nanton, on this morning's train.

F. L. BROWN leaves on Saturday on a holiday visit to his former home in Hamilton, Ont.

Mrs. J. A. BELL returned from Roseland last week on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lauder.

Mrs. Wm. WALKER, of Agricola, returned from a visit to Spokane on Wednesday's train of last week.

SNOW began to fall about 11 o'clock on Monday morning, and there was fair sleighing by evening. But alas it is all gone away.

VERY little business doing this week owing to the Monday holiday, poor roads of Tuesday and continued low prices of grain.

D. R. FRASER has about 1,000,000 feet of new logs skidded in the woods but as yet has been unable to get them to the river for lack of snow.

THE ice of the river opened last week at Fort Saskatchewan to such an extent as to compel a change of the crossing from the Lamoureux crossing to the St. Jean crossing.

Geo. H. GRAYDON left on Tuesday's train for a trip to his former home near St. Catharines, Ont. Geo. Thomson will be in charge of Mr. Graydon's drug store during his absence.

THE snow of Monday all disappeared under the influence of wind and rain on Tuesday and Tuesday night. Wednesday, light clear, breezy and cool, with icy roads and bare ground.

THURSDAY is the last day of the C. P. R. winter excursions. They have been well patronized and will have a good effect in spreading the name and fame of Edmonton through Eastern Canada.

STAFF, SERGT. BAGLEY, N. W. M. P., was stationed at Maple Creek, has been promoted to be Sergt. Major. Old-timers at Edmonton will be pleased to hear of Sergt. Bagley's promotion. He served here in the 70's.

NEVILLE WHITE, of the Queen's hotel, is taking a holiday in the east.

S. M. BARNESMAN and S. Wilson of Red Deer are visiting Edmonton.

G. H. RYAN, of Camilla, left on this morning's train on a visit to Ontario.

The bazaar conducted by the Catholic ladies of South Edmonton, concludes to day.

THE Cawade Record, one of the newspaper exponents of the Boundary country's newest camp, is to hand.

THE roads are so icy that only shod horses can draw loads to town. Consequently very few teams on the trails. Icy roads are almost unknown here.

On Tuesday evening after the council meeting Mayor Edmiston entertained the members of the retiring council to an oyster supper at the Alberta Hotel.

JUDGE ROULEAU has decided to open North Cammore poll in Banff district, on petition of Dr. Brett, and Laggen poll, on petition of Mr. Sifton, the successful candidate. The North Cammore poll gave Sifton 60 and Brett 28.

JOHN McEVANS and J. G. Erickson, farmer delegates of Barnsville, Minn., arrived last night to look up land in the Conjurong creek district. They have a prospect of a large immigration from Barnsville to Edmonton in the spring.

A HUNTER from up the river reports having found three stray horses between Lake St. Ann and the river. They were white, roan and bay. One has a leather halter and one a rope on. All had banded tails, and were in good condition.

THE C. P. R. announces a three cent cut in the rate on wheat and flour by rail east of Fort William to the sea board. The old rate was 28 cents per hundred pounds. The new rate is 25 cents. There is evident competition that compels.

A LETTER from the minister of public works states that the contract for the Edmonton bridge has been awarded to the Dominion Bridge Co. of Montreal and that \$7,000 has been saved to the government by refusing to accept the original tender.

THE Caledonia Dining Hall, J. H. Picard proprietor, is now open in K. A. McLeod's new building next MacDonald's drug store. Mr. and Mrs. Picard have an established reputation in Edmonton as successful caterers. Their enterprises deserve every success.

A SAMPLE of wheat for which 33c. was offered this morning by three of the buyers in South Edmonton is on exhibition in the BULLETIN office. With such a price offered for such wheat there is certainly cause for all, and more than all, the complaints that have been made by the farmers recently as to unfair treatment at the hands of dealers.

PLAINDEALER: A large number of Galicians are in town this week from the Edna settlement to secure provisions from the government to carry them through the winter. The support being granted is very little and for the value of same a lien is taken on the recipient's homestead. Those receiving assistance are all families who came in during the last year.

G. J. WELBURN and Miss Rogers, who are retiring from the teaching staff of the Edmonton public school were kindly remembered by the pupils of their respective departments on Friday last. Mr. Welbourn's present was a writing desk. The accompanying address was read by Willie Braag. Miss Rogers was presented with a clock. The address was read by Maggie Greenwood and the presentation was made by Flossie Satter.

A LETTER was received recently by the BULLETIN from C. F. Sears, father of Benjamin B. Sears, of Bennington, Vermont, who accompanied the Fresno party of prospectors to Peace river in the fall of '97. Mr. Sears states that he has received a letter signed by Haag Bros., Kelly and Bission, who were the members of the party whom Sears accompanied to the Nelson river last spring, stating that Benj. B. Sears had been drowned, and his body had not been recovered. No particulars are given as to date or place of the drowning.

B. F. DECKER and H. J. Brink arrived from the Jasper pass on Sunday last. They brought pack horses to Island lake, and came the rest of the way with wagons. They have been hunting and prospecting since the latter part of the summer. They report no snow in the Jasper pass, and green grass three inches long. They made a very good catch of fur, and are returning in a week to put in the remainder of the winter. They will take back 15 loaded pack horses. They met Neale, Jackson and McHorse. They found four miles this side of the Athabasca river and 150 miles from Lake St. Ann. Good feed for horses all along the trail.

"G" DIVISION N. W. M. Police, at Fort Saskatchewan, will not have their usual Christmas dinner this year, having devoted the funds that would have been required in aid of Mr. Burdeen and family, who are in difficult circumstances. Mrs. Burdeen died a short time ago, leaving eight young children, several of whom were ill at the time. Three are now in the Mounted police hospital, but are doing well. The others are being cared for otherwise. Mr. Burdeen has the practically expressed sympathy of the community in his bereavement and difficulties. He is mail-carrier for the run east of Fort Saskatchewan and is a very deserving man, but has had a lot of bad luck.

THE Montreal Gazette, of the 12th inst., reports the close of the proceedings against Wm. Bellingham on the charge of obtaining money under false pretences. Mr. Bellingham was one of the promoters of a Montreal Trading & Mining Co., whose representatives started for Edmonton, but were deserted, en route, by their leader, Hogward. In trying to straighten out the tangle that ensued Mr. Bellingham came to Edmonton, but was accused by the members of the expedition of complicity in defrauding them. The preliminary hearing of the charge came up here, but was adjourned to Montreal where it was only lately concluded, the case being dismissed and Mr. Bellingham honorably discharged.

THE attention of the BULLETIN has been drawn to a new form of begging, widely known as the chain letter system. A writer known as the chain letter system, asking for a three letters to some object of say 10 cents contribution to some object of the three friends each and also asking each of the three friends to write to three friends of theirs asking for a like contribution, and that they write to three friends of theirs, and so on. The means of the system is that it uses the friendship of uninterested parties towards each other as a means of levying tribute for the benefit of No. 1. It is easily seen that the letters do not have to pass through many stages before they reach an immense number. For the sake of others, those who are appealed to by this means should deposit the letter of request carefully in the stove.

MONDAY next will be a bank and public holiday.

Post office opens at 6 o'clock on Monday evening.

WATER is worth 48c to 50c at Red Deer for the Calgary mill.

SOUTH Edmonton agricultural society ball on Friday evening next.

THE Kalo Prospector is the latest newspaper venture on the BULLETIN exchange list.

G. H. L. BOSHANGE, stationer, has issued a very neat little calendar. The engraving is "The Elopement."

WEATHER stormy last night and a little snow falling. Some sleighing this morning. Weather calm, clear and milder.

THE Alberta hotel celebrated Christmas with a grand dinner to their guests and friends on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

PATRICON'S Italian orchestra will furnish music for the agricultural society ball in South Edmonton to-morrow evening, Friday, Dec. 30th, '98.

SURT. WHITE of the C. P. R. has addressed a circular to employees of the railway inculcating the virtue of courtesy towards the travelling public and particularly mentioning the desirability of station agents giving information regarding delayed trains.

ALL Saints church was handsomely decorated for Christmas. Suitable mottoes and scripture texts bordered by evergreen, adorned the walls and altar railing. Holly branches with their scarlet berries gave variety to the decoration. The decorations will be allowed to remain for some weeks.

Mrs. P. HEIMINK is laid up as the result of a fall which occurred on Wednesday forenoon. She slipped and fell on the icy ground near her own house. Her head struck the ground rendering her unconscious. She had recovered consciousness this morning and her condition was improving.

CURLING.

Monday: President vs. Vice-President.

Macdonald-14. Emery-11.

This concludes the match.

The President wins by 10 points.

MARKETS.

Oats, deliveries light owing to holiday season and bad roads. Prices show a slight improvement. South Edmonton quotes 24c for best milling and 19c for best feed.

Edmonton prices 16c to 18c for feed and 21c and 22c for milling.

Wheat, as before, 46c for the best at the elevators, and 33c for Ladoga.

Butter in good supply at 16c to 18c for tub, and up to 20c for fresh prints.

Eggs, 25c for fresh. A considerable amount of packed eggs have been offered, which has kept down the price of fresh.

Poultry in full supply. Chickens 8c and turkeys 12c.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOUND. A Key. Apply at this office. 17-18

FOUND. On Main street on Wednesday night a purse containing a small sum of money. Apply at George Gilmer's warehouse, Main street.

LOST. A lady's slipper, between Queen and Cliff streets. Kindly return to BULLETIN office. 17-18

LOST. A gentleman's left hand Persian lamb gauntlet mitten. Finder will kindly return to this office. 17-18

FOUND HORSES. D. Stewart will arrive on Friday (to-morrow) night with a car load of Farm and General Work Horses. Hold your orders till you see him. 17-18

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All prices and qualities.

A very fine line of Pocket Cutlery.

Plated Tea Trays.

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Clauss Sets of Bread Knives.

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A full Stock of Hall, Library and Stand Lamps.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, DEC. 29TH, 1909.

FLOUR MILLS.

The discussions which have taken place recently at farmers' meetings in connection with the several mill projects at Edmonton, Fort Saskatchewan and Morinville, have brought out several very noticeable facts. One is that the milling facilities at present existing are unable to meet the wants of the district, and that therefore there exists one or more excellent openings for an expansion of the milling industry. There are two first class roller mills and two stone mills in the district. The roller mills are running day and night and cannot keep up to the demand for their flour. It is said that farmers who have brought wheat forty and fifty miles to the Fort Saskatchewan mill to exchange for flour are frequently unable to get more than a sack or two, so great is the local demand for the product of the mill. While every train carries wheat out either to Fort William or to British Columbia mills, almost every train brings flour in from Winnipeg and the Lake of the Woods. Clearly the Edmonton miller must stand to win approximately the freight both ways, over the profits of the Manitoba miller. There are grave complaints by the farmers that the millers take advantage of the position to keep up the price of flour, and to keep down the price of wheat. This is the condition of affairs which has led to such vigorous agitation amongst the farmers for farmers' mills, and has induced Messrs. Dowling and Otte-well to embark in their enterprise. Until the purely local demand is filled, and while there is an export surplus of wheat, Edmonton must be a most favorable point for milling. Even after the immense local and far north demand has been satisfied it is difficult to see why Edmonton wheat required for Kootenay cannot be ground at Edmonton to as good advantage as at Calgary or Enderby as it is at present, or why it should not compete for the Asiatic trade now monopolized by Washington and Idaho wheat, and from which Manitoba wheat is excluded by the length of haul. There is plenty of room for milling enterprise at Edmonton. The more the better.

COAL RATES.

While the competition of the Crow's Nest railway has benefited the Edmonton district in that a new market for farm products has been opened in East Kootenay, it has hit us heavily in our coal business. Calgary is the only possible export market for Edmonton coal, and until this season our coal formed a very considerable part of the total consumption of Calgary. The completion of the Crow's Nest road has brought in the additional competition of the Crow's Nest coal, and very much shortened the haul and reduced the rate on the Galt coal. Of course Edmonton has no right to exceptionally favorable treatment at the company's hands. But it has a right to be treated as fairly as any other point; besides the fact that although the Edmonton coal is desirable in many ways, it is bulky and heavy according to its fuel value, and therefore should be allowed any advantage possible in rates. The rates charged are:

Crow's Nest, 210 miles,	\$2.10
Edmonton, 186 miles,	2.25
Galt, 145 miles,	1.90
Anthracite, 77 miles,	1.65

The above table speaks for itself. The result is that Edmonton coal is being crowded out of Calgary, while if it were given the \$2.00 rate to which it is entitled in comparison with the Crow's Nest coal it could still be sold. Is it a part of the bargain with the Crow's Nest coal company to freeze other mines out of the market—in this case the only outside market Edmonton coal has?

The Regina Leader asks its readers to compare the treatment given the C. P. R. by the liberal government with that given it by the conservative government; the inference being that the stand taken by the former is more in the interests of the people. No doubt such a comparison if fairly

made, must be favorable to the liberal government. But that is hardly sufficient to establish the point which the Leader desires to make, namely that the liberal government has done all that it should have done. Liberals are inclined to judge their leaders, not so much by what others, who were wrong, did, as by what they, the liberal leaders, indicated was right to be done. Their own standards are what their followers desire to measure them by, not the standards of their opponents. There is a point in this connection which seems to have escaped the attention of the Leader and several other apologetically inclined papers. The comparison made by the Leader shows that the conservative party is still the best friend of the C. P. R. That company may therefore still be expected to be more friendly with the conservative than with the liberal party. Wherein then have the liberals profited in political support by their failure to hew to the line on the question of railway monopoly?

EDMONTON MILL.

The meeting of the farmers' committee to consider the erection of a mill at Edmonton, which was announced for Tuesday afternoon, was made a general rather than a committee meeting, there being forty or fifty farmers present. T. G. Hutchings presided as chairman, R. Dinwoodie was secretary. It was decided to form a joint stock company to build a flour mill and elevator at or near the railway in Edmonton or South Edmonton. The name to be the Farmers' Milling & Elevator Co. of North Alberta, (Ltd.) The following were appointed provisional directors: D. Maloney, St. Albert; J. Lamoureux, Fort Saskatchewan; O. N. Lavallee, Morinville; W. Clark, Horse Hills; R. McKernan, South Edmonton; E. Townsend, Clearwater; T. G. Hutchings, Edmonton; Hugh Lewis, Agricola; Alex. McLeod, Belmont. The capital was fixed at \$25,000 in 25 shares, of which 10 per cent. must be paid up on subscription. Twenty-eight shares were taken up at once. The provisional officers elected were: D. Maloney, president; R. Dinwoodie, secretary-treasurer; T. G. Hutchings and R. McKernan, working committee. Each provisional director is expected to canvass for shareholders.

FORT SASKATCHEWAN MILL.

A farmers meeting was held at Fort Saskatchewan on Saturday afternoon last to discuss the possibility of building a farmer's mill there. Between forty and fifty farmers attended and a very considerable amount of interest was manifested. W. Walker, of Agricola, was chairman, and Mr. Houston, of Partridge Hill, secretary. It was decided to build a 200 barrel mill, and to form a company with \$30,000 capital. There was a good deal of difference of opinion as to whether a shareholder should be restricted to one vote or allowed as many votes as he took shares. The majority seemed to favor the former idea. A committee consisting of Wm. Walker, Mr. Houston, H. Irwin, J. Lamoureux, and Gus Doze was appointed to draft constitution and by-laws for the company and to report to a meeting to be held at Fort Saskatchewan on Saturday next.

WHEAT GRADING.

Morden, Man., Chronicle: It has been amply demonstrated that the wheat buying combination has fixed prices arbitrarily, and that just now these men are masters of the wheat market in Western Canada. They fix prices, they manipulate grades, and they place high handed value on relative grades. Sometimes the difference between No. 1 and No. 2 is 2 cents, sometimes it is 4 cents, just as it is dictated from Winnipeg. This season the difference was first 3 cents, then 4 cents, and then 3½ cents. No rule—just the strong hand. At Northern Pacific points the same wheat grades higher than at neighboring C. P. R. points. Smutty wheat has been sent over the Northern Pacific and been graded No. 1 hard. Here the best wheat offered grades No. 1 Northern. Something must be done about this grading. Old buyers on this market have no confidence in the government inspector at Fort William.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Regular meeting Tuesday evening. All members present.
The taxes against the Salvation army for '90 and '97 were struck off the roll. The property will be assessed to the owner.
Letters from engineers Galt and Chipman regarding waterworks and sewers were laid over until next meeting.
P. Heimick was notified in reply to a letter from him that the council were willing to repeat their offer regarding the McDougall street extension according to Chalmers' plan.
The mayor and Councillors McLeod and Jackson were appointed to interview H. C. Taylor in regard to McDougall street extension on the Methodist mission property.
The same committee was also appointed to interview E. Raymer regarding his property at the corner of Queen and Jasper avenues, to report at next meeting.
A letter from the Electric Light Co. asking for an extension of franchise was laid over until next meeting.
The fire, water and light committee reported against placing a light at the head of Bellamy's grade, and in favor of one at the police barracks on Fraser avenue, provided it was officially requested.
The medical health officer reported that a new nuisance ground was necessary; and that other physicians did not conform to the by-law in reporting cases of infectious disease to him.
The chairman of the board of works reported that such improvements had been made in the covered skating rink, as had rendered it safe.
The Imperial bank was reminded of the fire limit by-law in reference to a small frame building recently erected on the bank property.
The following accounts were ordered to be paid:
E. Acton, fire department, \$ 5.00
W. Leckhart, hall and market, 6.20
Garriety & Chénier, fire department, 3.45
Telephone Co., 18.00
Electric Light Co., 66.25
St. Geo. Jelliet, 10.50
N. Patterson, health and relief, 4.00
A. Wardell, board of works, 1.50
Alberta Hotel, fire department, 15.60
E. Ruelph, board of works, 3.75
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The fifth annual Ball will be held in
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English, French and German PER-
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In Men's, Women's and Children's Boots and Shoes Moccasins, Gaiters, Rubbers, etc., will be found a very large range, which for value distance all competitors.

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The largest retail store in our line west of Winnipeg. Cheap for cash.
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TENDERS WANTED.
Tenders for the purchase of what is known as the Bull Engine belonging to the Edmonton Electric Lighting & Power Co., Ltd., will be received by the Secretary up to 7th of January, 1910.
ST. GEO. JELLIET,
Sec'y-Treas.
12-10

Atlantic Steamship Lines.

St. John, Halifax and Liverpool service.	From	From
Californian (Allan)	St. John, Dec. 21st	Halifax, Dec. 22nd
Scotian (Dominion)	Dec. 28th	Dec. 29th
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12-39

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In the vicinity of Stations on the Calgary & Edmonton Railway
..FOR SALE..
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SUPPLEMENT TO
THE BULLETIN.

EDMONTON, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29TH, 1898.

LOCAL

THOS. HOURSTON returned last week from a fur buying trip along the railway as far west as Morley.

J. WALSH, so long and favorably known as a fur buyer at Edmonton is still in harness, being stationed this winter at Prince Albert.

CLARA MATHES, leading lady of the Lindlay Theatrical Company when here, is now conducting a company of her own, and proposes visiting Edmonton shortly.

MALCOLM JOHNSON, trader, is in town from Wabiscaw lakes, 150 miles north of Athabasca Landing. The winter has been mild there with about five inches of snow. Fish plentiful and a good fur catch being made.

R. SECORD returned on Monday from a fur buying trip along the railway as far west as Kamloops, B. C. Kamloops was enjoying about the same weather as Edmonton then. Revelstoke had plenty of snow.

GEO. KNAPP left last week for Fort Smith by way of Lac la Biche and Chipewyan. He takes mail for Inspt. Routledge. Knapp came out with L. Bureau, who brought samples of quartz from Great Slave lake, which he has taken to Paris for assay.

HERSKOVITS & ROTH, fur dealers of New York, have opened a purchasing branch at Edmonton under charge of W. B. Stennett, a veteran fur buyer, of this place. Mr. Stennett will purchase in the place of business he at present occupies on Jasper avenue.

FURS are coming in slowly as yet owing to the mild weather and lack of snow. Fur bearing animals are fairly numerous, and wherever there is snow a good catch is being made. Silver fox are especially numerous. McDougall & Secord report about \$5,000 fur purchases in the last two weeks.

THE Regina Leader gives the Montreal Herald's splendid Christmas number illustrating Montreal and the St. Lawrence route with its Christmas issue. As a representation of the chief city of the Dominion the number is unexcelled. It is certainly the finest thing of the kind ever gotten out in Canada.

NAGLE & HISLOP, traders of Fort Resolution and Fort Rae, have purchased the steamer Sparrow, now in winter quarters at Grand rapids. They will take her below Smith rapids in the spring and will run her from Smith rapids to the Arctic ocean. This is the best built of all the steamers put on the Athabasca last summer.

A SULPHUR spring has been discovered at Victoria, opposite the settlement. The water has been found very beneficial in cases of rheumatism. The sulphur water usually came out of the ground below the level of the river but owing to the extreme low water this season the outlet became exposed. The water leaves a very considerable deposit of sulphur on the ground.

THE sale of town lots at Fort Saskatchewan on Saturday last resulted in the sale of 18 lots at fair prices chiefly to residents of the town and surrounding district. The property chiefly in demand was on Dennis avenue, the principal street running easterly to the Victoria trail and Josephberg settlement. No lots were offered on government street.

Caledonia Dining Hall

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LOST. \$5.00 REWARD.

One grey horse, branded with bell brand on right shoulder; one black horse, branded & on left shoulder, mane worn from collar. Above reward will be paid for information leading to their recovery.

JAS. HODGINS, Poplar Lake.

14-19

Edmonton P. O.

ESTRAY.

Has been in my pasture off and on since summer, one grey mare, branded circled 2 on off shoulder. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take the animal away.

J. C. C. BREMNER,

13-18

Clover Bar.

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.

J. H. Dunn and C. W. Cross, advocates, hereby inform the public that on and after the first day of January, A.D. 1899, they will practice law in partnership under the firm name of Dunn & Cross. Offices in the Edmiston-Taylor building, next the Postoffice.

16-24

ESTRAY.

One steer, red and white, two-year-old past, no brand. May be seen on northeast quarter Sec. 14, tp. 55, rg. 24, W. 4th mer. Owner will kindly prove property, pay expenses and take away.

GEO. COVEY,

16-17

Nanaimo P. O., Sturgeon River.

ESTRAY.

Came to the premises of the undersigned about Dec. 1st, one bay mare, white face, branded C on left shoulder. Owner is requested to prove H property, pay expenses and take away.

R. L. PHILLIPS,

12-17

Agricola P. O.

TEACHER WANTED.

For Josephburg School District No. 296, first or second-class certificate. Person who can speak German preferred. Duties to commence January 2nd, 1899. School open full year term. Address all applications to

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WHEAT MARKETS, DEC. 23
Fort William 68c to 67c.
Chicago 68 1/2c May.

SCHOOL HOCKEY.
A match was played on Saturday afternoon on the Shamrock rink, South Edmonton, between the South Edmonton and Edmonton public schools. The result was five to none in favor of Edmonton.

Monday:
MAHRIED. SINGLE.
McKay, McKelvie,
Goodwin, McNicol,
McCauley, McLarty,
McQueen-7. Calder-18.

SLAVE LAKE ORES.
The Yukon Valley Mining & Prospecting Co., of Chicago, are not losing any time in getting into position to realize on their finds on Great Slave Lake. The assays of samples from which were published in the BULLETIN a few issues ago. They have organized a company in Chicago with \$750,000 capital, divided into \$10 shares. They are offering \$5,000 shares for sale, in order to raise money to go on with development work next year.

THISTLES VS. SHAMROCKS.
A hockey match took place on the Shamrock rink, South Edmonton, on Monday between the Thistles of Edmonton and the Shamrocks of South Edmonton. The result was five to four in favor of Edmonton. The following were the members of the teams taking part:
SOUTH EDMONTON.
Goal—Sharpley.
Point—Sutherland.
Cover point—Jackson, J. W. Blain.
Forwards—Clark, Richards, R. E. Blain.
EDMONTON.
Goal—Aldridge.
Point—Cartier.
Cover point—Hendry, Benson.
Forwards—Campbell, McLeod, Jardine.
Spurs man—McDermott.
A return match will be played on the Thistle rink, Edmonton, on Monday next at 2 p. m.

BEAVER LAKE EAST.
A free social was given in the Presbyterian church here on the evening of the 21st inst. Mr. John H. McAllister occupied the chair. The social was a success in every way, and the attendance large. Where all who took part did well, it would be invidious to particularize. The following is a summary of the programme: Opening religious exercises by Mr. J. E. Hogg, Presbyterian missionary; Solo on bagpipes, Mr. Watson; Recitation, Joe McCallum; Song, Mr. Hogg; Recitation, Mary B. McCallum; Song, Mr. T. A. Deby; Recitation, Kitty McCallum; Instrumental Solo, Mr. Hogg; Recitation, John Hunter; Instrumental Solo, Mr. Hogg; Duet, Messrs. T. A. Deby and J. E. Hogg; Song, Mr. A. K. Moody; Reading, Mrs. J. E. Steele; Selections on bagpipes, Mr. Watson; Reading, Duncan McCallum; Reading, Mr. Hogg; Bagpipes, Mr. Watson; Song, Mr. Hogg. Then came the refreshments, which were, as usual here, of the highest quality. The singing of the National Anthem brought the entertainment to a close.
Dec. 22nd, '98.

ST. ALBERT.
On Thursday last about the hour of noon His Lordship, Bishop Legal, arrived here at St. Albert from his visit to Europe. He was accompanied from Edmonton by the venerable Bishop Grandin and escorted by several of the clergy and parishoners. After celebration of benediction of the blessed sacrament by Bishop Legal, most of those present adjourned to the palace. An address of welcome in French was then read by Mr. Adolphe Perrault. This was followed by one from the English speaking Catholics, the latter being accompanied by a presentation purse of upwards of a hundred dollars in gold, collected chiefly by Mrs. McDonald and other ladies of the parish. The following were the words of the address:
TO HIS LORDSHIP EMILE L. LEGAL, Bishop of Poitiers.
Mr. Lord: The long wished for day, the happy day of your return, has come. Thanks be to God. We the English speaking Catholics of St. Albert joyously unite with all in wishing you a hearty welcome home. The longer your absence has been the greater is our happiness in seeing you once more in our midst.
Thanks to the delicate attention of our beloved bishop we were enabled to follow your every step, and proud were we of the marks of honor lavished upon you on both sides of the Atlantic.
We accompanied you in spirit to the shrines of our lady of Lourdes and of Sion, through Switzerland and Italy, even to Rome. How happy were we to behold you at the feet of our holy father, Leo XIII, now so gloriously reigning. What happiness it must have been to listen to the words of wisdom that fell from his lips as he encouraged, approved and blessed you my lord, and in your sacred person the venerable bishop of this diocese.
Right reverend and beloved father your distinguished qualities of heart and mind, your superior talents and the exalted dignity with which you are invested, had hitherto commanded our reverence and esteem, but to-day as you descend from the height of the vatican laden with the favors and blessings of our pontiff king, our affection and veneration are increased a hundred fold.
While rejoicing in your safe return allow us to tender a most cordial welcome to our esteemed pastor, Rev. Father Merer; permit us also to thank you for having placed us during your absence under the immediate direction of Rev. Father Lestage, whose earnest instructions, wise counsels and unremitting attention to duty have been highly appreciated by all.
My lord we would fain state what pleasure it gives us to see the great improvements made on the palace. Were it in our power we would most willingly contribute the whole expenses incurred, but being unable to do so, we deem my lord to accept this small offering as a testimony of our veneration and affection.
The English speaking Catholics of St. Albert.
Bishop Legal replied in eloquent and feeling terms to the welcome in both languages.
Afterwards Messrs. Maloney, Broseaux, Perrault, Dr. Tierney and other gentlemen had the honor of dining with their lordships, Bishop Grandin and Bishop Legal together with several members of the clergy. In the evening a very pleasant entertainment was given by the ladies in a crowded and appreciative audience in the school house. The singing, acting and elocution of the juveniles being highly creditable both to the teachers and to the taught.

Just in to-day, a nice assortment of
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CANDY...
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Hello! I find myself with one dozen left on hand for want of a nation here to buy. Hoping our immigration department will send the missing link to

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We have everything in fine shape and will be glad to have you call and see the stock; it will please you, and you will go away with renewed confidence in the future of our town.
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J. S. WILLMOTT, Manager.
NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR DIVORCE.
Notice is hereby given that I, George William VanWart, of the City of Calgary, in the Northwest Territories of Canada, Merchant, will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for a Bill of Divorce from his wife, formerly known as Mrs. Tibbitts, now of the City of Oakland in the State of California, in the United States of America, grounds that she has for years past been, and still is, living with one B. Smith of the City of Oakland, and, as his wife, having been, and still is, married to him, the said B. Smith, contrary to the laws of the State of California.
Dated at the City of Calgary, in the Northwest Territories of Canada, this 22nd day of August, A. D. 1898.
J. A. BANGS,
Advocate for the Applicant.

